

## UPCOMING PROGRAMS

See our November  
[CALENDAR](#) for details on  
all upcoming programs.



## HOLIDAY HOURS:

City Hall and the Library will be **CLOSED** Friday, November 10 in honor of **Veterans Day**. The Library will be open regular hours on Saturday, November 11, from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.

The Library will be **CLOSED THANKSGIVING WEEKEND** beginning at 4:00 p.m. on Wednesday, November 22. Regular hours resume Tuesday, November 28 at 10:00 a.m.

*Please return materials to the outdoor book drops on the west side of the building. Happy Thanksgiving!*

## A Note from the Library Director

*The last pieces are finally in place from our long-awaited makeover! Thanks to generous grants from The Tocker Foundation and the Friends of Bee Cave Public Library, as well as funding from the City of Bee Cave, the library has a whole new look to the children's area. The oversized circular desk\* that used to greet visitors has been replaced by smaller, movable service desks, giving us some much-needed breathing room to add more shelving and seating. The children's area now has colorful tables and chairs suitable for adults and children to use in the nonfiction section, and a play area furnished with comfortable seating and age-appropriate toys in the picture book section for our youngest readers. Unique, curved shelves with built-in seats and charging stations provide a gathering place and focal point near the entrance. Patrons have commented that the whole library feels more open and welcoming, which is exactly what we hoped to accomplish. One little girl, upon seeing the new chairs with a bee cut out in the back, exclaimed, "Holy macaroni, it's just my size!" A local couple brought their one-year-old son and his grandparents to the "learn through play" area for a relaxed visit on his first birthday. The toddler happily explored the toys and books while the adults visited quietly. If you haven't been to the library recently (or ever?), please stop by and take a look for yourself!*

-- Barbara Hathaway

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*\*We're happy to report that the old circular desk and other pieces of furniture are being donated to storm-damaged libraries along the coast. Thank you to our friends at Library Interiors of Texas for helping make that connection.*

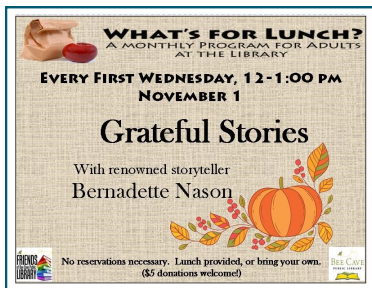
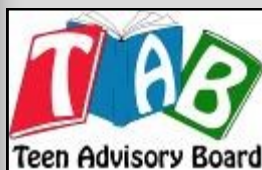
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Our popular "What's for Lunch?" program meets the first Wednesday of each month from 12 - 1 p.m. for a different topic each month! No reservations required. Light lunch provided or bring your own. \$5 donations welcome.

Nov. 1 "[Grateful Stories](#)" with Bernadette Nason  
Dec. 6 "[Tasty Treats](#)" with Chef Christina Villarreal  
Jan. 3 "[Tai Chi in the New Year](#)" with Shaolin Tai Chi

## goDigital eReader Help

Wednesday, November 8 10 a.m. -12 p.m.  
Or call for a 1-on-1 appointment

Get help using **OverDrive** or **RBdigital Magazines** to get free books, audiobooks and magazines on your Kindle, Nook, iPad, tablet or smartphone. Can't make it to the open session? Make an appointment with our digital specialist, librarian Megan Fischer, for one-on-one personalized help by calling 512-767-6625 or emailing [mfischer@beecavetexas.gov](mailto:mfischer@beecavetexas.gov).

## Friends of the Library Meeting

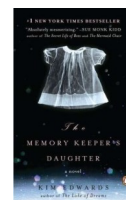
Wednesday, November 8 4:00 p.m.

The Friends of the Library meets the 2nd Wednesday of each month to discuss ways to support the library's mission through fundraising, volunteering, and advocacy. Consider joining the Friends and giving back to your library!

## Bee Cave Book Club

Thursday, November 9 7- 8 p.m.

The Bee Cave Book Club is an informal and diverse group who come together every 2nd Thursday to discuss the group-selected fiction or nonfiction [titles](#). During the hour members share laughter, ideas, and their love of books. New members are always welcome, even if you haven't read this month's selection. The November selection is ***Liar, Temptress, Soldier, Spy*** by Karen Abbott. In December we will discuss ***The Memory Keeper's Daughter*** by Kim Edwards. Copies are available at the library in a variety of formats.



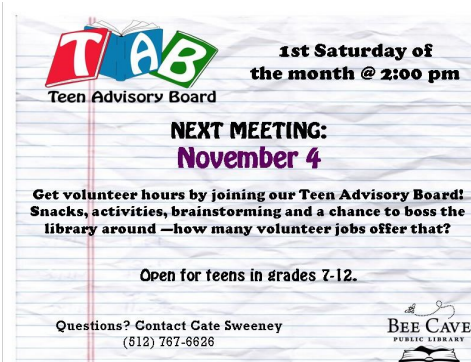
Book Club members chose an exciting list of [selections for 2018](#) - check one out today and join us for a great discussion!

## PROGRAMS FOR TEENS

### Teen Advisory Board

Saturday, November 4 2:00 p.m.

Teen Advisory Board meets the first Saturday of the month at 2 p.m. Get volunteer hours by joining! Snacks, activities, brainstorming, and a chance to boss the library around--how many volunteer jobs offer that? Bring a friend and join us!



Open for teens in grades 7-12. Questions? Contact Cate Sweeney: [csweeney@beecavetexas.gov](mailto:csweeney@beecavetexas.gov) or 512.767.6626.

**Baby Bumblebees Storytime**

**2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Tuesdays, 10:30 & 11:15 a.m.**  
**Newborn age to Walking Stage**

Babies, bring your grown-ups to enjoy stories, rhymes & songs as they learn engaging ways to prepare children for reading.

**Toddler Tales Storytime**

**Fridays, 10:30 & 11:15 a.m.**  
**For ages 1 to 3 years**

Join us at the library for 20-25 minutes of stories, songs, and movement every Friday at 10:30 or 11:15 a.m.

**Preschool Pals Storytime**

**Thursdays, 10:30 & 11:15 a.m.**  
**For ages 3 to 5 years**

Join us at the library for 20-30 minutes of stories, songs, and movement every Thursday at 10:30 or 11:15 a.m.

**CHESS CLUB**

**Wednesday, November 15**  
**5:00 - 6:00 p.m.**

Meet fellow chess enthusiasts and learn new strategies. All young chess lovers welcome, from novices to advanced players.

Meets the 3rd Wednesday of the month during the school year in Community Room A above the library.

**Best for ages 6-12.**



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Hours of Operation:  
 Tues - Thurs 10 am - 7 pm  
 Fri - Sat 10 am - 5 pm  
 Closed Sunday & Monday

## PROGRAMS FOR TEENS

**Bee-Tweens****The Great Turkey Games**

**Saturday, November 11 2:00 p.m.**

Fall is in the air and turkeys, pumpkins, treats, and fun are in the library. Come test your skills and your luck at our Great Turkey Games!! Bring a friend!

**Bee-Tweens** meets the second Saturday of the month at 2 p.m.

**Open for tweens in grades 4-6.**

Questions? Email Terry, [TLewis@beecavetexas.gov](mailto:TLewis@beecavetexas.gov).



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